

## Ocotillo District Weekly Update

June 19, 2015

#### **Greetings!**

I invite you to my August Monthly Mobile Office Hours on Monday, August 3 from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the Glendale Community Center, 5401 W. Ocotillo Rd.

In an effort to connect with residents beyond the city's normal 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. hours, I will be available once a month at various locations in the Ocotillo District. I encourage you to stop by and meet with me. No appointment is necessary.

**PLEASE NOTE**; Due to the 4th of July Independence Holiday, I will not host mobile office hours in July. However, I will continue to be available through my city hall office.

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Report a Code Violation

# Velma Teague Library located at 7010 N. 58th Ave. - Celebrate New Summer Hours and Renovations!

I invite you to stop by Velma Teague Library July 1 from 6 to 7 p.m. to celebrate the new summer hours and recent renovations with free refreshments and fun activities for the whole family!

July 1 to September 30, the Velma Teague Library will be open on Mondays and Thursdays from 1-8 p.m, and Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. The library will remain closed on Fridays and Sundays, but will be open on Saturdays from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Free Summer Band Concerts Bring Music To Downtown Glendale Summer Evenings. The West Valley's favorite summer tradition continues its 49th season in downtown Glendale. The eight-week concert series takes place each Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Murphy Park Amphitheater. The series runs through July 23 so enjoy this FREE entertainment while it lasts!

Snacks and refreshments will be available for purchase at the concerts. For more information, including concert schedules and artist information, please call the Glendale's Special Events hotline at 623-930-2299, or visit <a href="www.glendaleaz.com/events">www.glendaleaz.com/events</a>.

Glendale To Host Public Meetings On Proposed Anti-Discrimination Ordinance. The City of Glendale will hold a series of public meetings to allow residents and businesses an opportunity to share their thoughts on whether the city should adopt an anti-discrimination ordinance. The Glendale City Council has expressed specific interest in hearing feedback from Glendale residents and business owners. An ordinance, if adopted, would protect the rights of Glendale citizens and visitors from discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations. The schedule for public meetings are:

**Saturday, July 25** Foothills Branch Library, 19055 N. 57th Ave. Glendale, AZ 85308

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Sign in begins at 9:30 a.m. officer

#### **Amenities**



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**Thursday, July 30** Renaissance Glendale Hotel & Spa, 9495 W. Coyotes Blvd. Glendale, AZ 85305 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. *Sign in begins at 5:30 p.m.* 

If you cannot attend any of the meetings but would like to offer input, you can leave comments on a recorded phone line at 623-930-2255. The city has also set up a special email address to receive written comments. That email address is GlendaleFeedback.

Please know, all written and spoken comments will become part of the official record of public input for this process. For more information, please contact the Glendale City Manager's Office at 623-930-2870.

#### **Glendale Police Promote A Summer Of**

**Safety.** In an effort to keep our children safe this summer, the Glendale Police Department would like to inform parents and children about city ordinances that outline curfew for those under the age of 18. Juveniles under the age of 16 have a curfew of 10:00pm-5:00am. Those 16 and older have a curfew of 12:00am-5:00am. It is also a violation for a parent or guardian to allow a juvenile to violate the curfews that are in place. The entire city ordinance can be viewed here

#### Coffee With a Cop

Join your neighbors and police officers for coffee and conversation. No agenda or speeches, just a chance to ask questions, voice concerns and hear about crime trends in your neighborhood. For more information, contact your Community Action Team: Officer Andy Lynes, 623-930-2554, Crime Prevention Specialist Angela Botz at 623-930-2571.

6:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 24 at the Glendale Lofts, 6839 N. 63rd Ave.

### Glendale Police Department Joins the Conversation on Nextdoor, the Private Social Network for Neighborhoods

The Glendale Police Department announced that it will be joining the conversation on Nextdoor

(Nextdoor), the private social network for neighborhoods to improve citywide and neighbor-to-neighbor communications. With Nextdoor, Glendale residents can create private neighborhood websites to share information, including neighborhood public safety issues, community events and activities, local services, and even lost pets. The police department will be able to post information, such as important news, services, programs, free events, and emergency notifications to Nextdoor websites within the city.

Those interested in joining their neighborhood's Nextdoor website can visit <u>nextdoor</u> and enter their address. If residents have questions about their Nextdoor website, please visit <u>help nextdoor</u>.

Celebrate 4th of July Independence Day in Glendale - Fireworks at Westgate. What could be better than a hometown firework display for July 4? How about adding live music stages (Fountain Park and Events Plaza), a beer garden (Events Plaza) and more! The event will take place on Saturday, July 4 from 5-9:30 p.m. at theWestgate Entertainment District located at 6751 North Sunset Boulevard. For more information, visit Westgate.

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